

county councils of the several counties, but in no event less than \$10 per diem for such services. Each board shall be allowed such further sum for expenses and clerical hire in the performance of the duties imposed upon them by this subtitle as may be reasonable and necessary. All said expenses shall be paid by the mayor and city council of Baltimore and the county commissioners or county councils of the several counties, respectively, in precisely the same way as compensation and similar election expenses are now provided to be paid by law.

**27-14. Penalties.**

Any person who shall violate any of the provisions of this subtitle shall, upon conviction, be sentenced to pay a fine of not more than one thousand dollars (\$1,000), or be sentenced to imprisonment for not more than two years, or both, in the discretion of the court.

**UNIFORM ACT FOR VOTING BY NONRESIDENTS IN PRESIDENTIAL ELECTIONS**

**28-1. Qualifications of voters.**

Each citizen of the United States who has been a resident of this State for less than six months on the day before the day of a presidential election, may vote for presidential and vice-presidential electors at that election, but for no other officers or matters submitted to the voters, provided (a) he shall have resided in the ward or election district where he offers to vote at least forty-five days next preceding such presidential election, (b) otherwise possesses the substantive qualifications to vote in this State, except the requirements of residence and registration, and (c) complies with the provisions of this subtitle.

**28-2. Registrar of new resident voters.**

The board shall designate an officer or employee, who in addition to his other duties, if any, shall act and be known as the "registrar of new resident voters," and who may have one or more authorized deputies. As used in this subtitle, the term "registrar" refers to said registrar of new resident voters or his authorized deputy. The registrar shall be available during normal office hours at the office of the board or other appropriate place, during the period of twenty-five days preceding any general presidential election.

**28-3. Application for ballot—Form of affidavit.**

A person desiring to qualify under this subtitle to vote for presidential and vice-presidential electors shall make an application in the form of an affidavit executed in duplicate in the presence of the registrar, substantially as follows:

State of Maryland, County of .....

I, ....., do solemnly swear that:

1. I am a citizen of the United States.

2. Before becoming a resident of this State, I resided at.....

..... Street, in ..... (Here insert name of township, town, village, or city) of ..... County in the State of .....